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A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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## AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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